

A Day's Tour of LOUISVILLE

in 1818; and Presidents Monroe, Jackson, and Taylor visited here. The home has been restored and is now open to the public Tuesday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on Sundays from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Continue on Blankenbaker to River Road, and turn left. This scenic road parallels the river and passes many of Louisville's private boat clubs as well as *Carrie Gaulbert Cox Park*, a day-use area. Inside the city limits, high above River Road to the left, is the imposing *Veterans Administration Hospital*. Half a mile farther is a museum that will interest all railroad enthusiasts.

Kentucky Railway Museum, River Road—This is dedicated to the all-but-vanished era of the locomotive. On exhibit are old steam engines, railroad cars, trolleys and other items. The museum is open Saturdays and Sundays from 1:00 to 6:00 p.m., Memorial Day through Labor Day. However, an excellent view of the relics is possible from River Road even when it is not open.



Stay on River Road.

Turn left at Ohio Street, and follow Ohio to its junction with Story Avenue. Turn right on Story. The *Hadley Pottery* is located immediately to the left. The famous hand-painted Hadley pottery items are made here. Tours are between October 1 and May 1 by appointment only. To resume the historic and cultural tour, take I-64 and return to River Road

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via Third Street exit.

On River Road, at the foot of Second Street, is the U. S. *Coast Guard Station*.

Coast Guard Station—Founded in 1881 as the "Life-Boat Station" to rescue small craft caught in the rapids of the river, this is the nation's only inland Coast Guard station.

Across the Ohio River in Clarksville, Ind., can be seen the *Colgate-Palmolive Company Clock*, second only in size to London's "Big Ben."

Belle of Louisville, River Road at Fourth Street—This is one of only two sternwheel steamboats still plying the rivers. From May to October, the Belle offers both daytime and evening excursion trips several times a week. For further information, call 584-6702.

